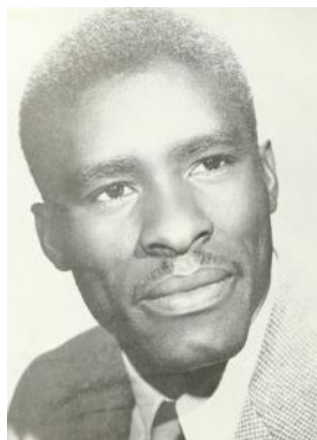


## WILLIE STEELE



Born: July 14, 1923 El Centro, CA

Died: September 19, 1989 Oakland, CA (66 years old)

San Diego Hoover High School (mid-term graduate Feb 1942)

San Jose State 1942

San Diego St 1946-49

1946 San Diego St 100 9.8

1948 San Diego St 100 9.7

1948 San Diego St 220 21.1

1941 SD Hoover HS LJ 24-0 3/4

1942 San Jose St LJ 25-7

1946 San Diego St LJ 25-1 3/4

1947 San Diego St LJ 26-6

1948 San Diego St LJ 25-11 3/4

1949 San Diego St LJ 24-11

1941 SD Hoover HS TJ 45-0 1/2

1942 San Jose St TJ 45-10

<p><b><u>High School</u></b>  1941 SoCounties LJ 3rd ---  1941 Coast Lea LJ 1st 22-8 1/4  1941 CIF LJ 1st 24-0 3/4  1941 State LJ 2nd 23-3 1/2</p> <p>1941 Coast Lea TJ 1st 44-10 1/2  1941 CIF TJ 2nd 43-10</p> <p><b><u>JC/Frosh</u></b>  1942 Calif Rlys LJ 1st 23-10 3/4</p>	<p><b><u>College Division</u></b>  1947 CCAA 100 4th ---  1948 CCAA 100 2tie ---</p> <p>1947 CCAA 220 2nd ---  1948 CCAA 220 4th ---</p> <p>1942 CCAA LJ 2nd 23-3 1/4  1946 CCAA LJ 1st 24-10  1947 CCAA LJ 1st 23-10  1948 CCAA LJ 1st 23-6 1/2</p>	<p><b><u>Open</u></b>  1942 West Coast Rlys LJ 1st 24-5 1/2  1942 Calif Rlys LJ 1st 24-1 3/4  1942 Pac Assn AAU LJ 1st 23-10 3/4  1942 Jr AAU LJ 1st 24-9 1/2  1942 AAU LJ 2nd 24-0 1/4  1946 Pas Games LJ 1st 24-0 3/4  1946 West Coast Rlys LJ 1st 25-0 1/2  1946 Coliseum Relays LJ 1st 25-1 3/4  1946 AAU LJ 1st 24-0  1947 Drake Relays LJ 1st 24-6 1/2  1947 West Coast Rlys LJ 1st 25-10 3/4  1947 Coliseum Relays LJ 1st 23-9 1/2  1947 NCAA LJ 1st 26-6  1947 AAU LJ 1st 24-9 1/4  1948 West Coast Rlys IJ 1st 25-11 3/4  1948 Coliseum Relays LJ 1st 25-0  1948 Calif Rlys LJ 1st 24-6  1948 Olympic Trials PV 1st 26-2  1948 Olympics LJ 1st 25-8</p>	<p><b><u>Open cont.</u></b>  1942 Pac Assn AAU TJ 1st 45-10  1942 Jr AAU TJ 2nd 44-6 1/2</p>
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#### Track & Field

- 1948 Olympic long jump champion
- 2-time AAU champion, 1946, 1947
- NCAA champion 1947
- National Track & Field Hall of Fame
- San Diego Hall of Champions

#### Football

- San Jose State 1942  
vs USF, 1 TD (31-yd reception on his first varsity play)  
vs Coast Guard, 1 TD (70-yd run)
- San Diego State 1948  
Broken leg in preseason practice ... out for season
- Los Angeles Rams training camp 1949  
Signed July 8, 1949  
Released September 17, 1949



#### Basketball

- San Jose State 1942-43  
Entered military during season
- San Diego State 1947  
Starting center

#### Baseball

- San Diego State 1949  
All-CCAA 2<sup>nd</sup> team  
Doubleheader vs UCSB, went 5 for 7 with triple and 2 doubles  
Final stats: 83 ab, 24 hits, .289 avg, 8 RBI, 5 doubles, 4 triples

